

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant	:	Higuchi, et al.
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For	:	DRUG AND FOOD OR DRINK FOR IMPROVING HYPERGLYCEMIA
Examiner	:	Unknown
Art Unit	:	1614

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application is a PTO/SB/08 Equivalent listing 6 references to be considered by the Examiner. Two references are provided herewith.

US 5,494,907, US 5,556,845, US 5,679,788, and US 5,705,494 are English language counterparts to RU 2 140 423. RU 2 192 876 is in the same patent family as RU 2 140 423. English abstracts (page 2) are included with both of the Russian language patent publications.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the receipt of a first Office Action on the merits, and presumably no fee is required. If a first Office Action on the merits was mailed before the mailing date of this Statement, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,

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